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Sir:

Applicants hereby expressly abandon this application as of the filing date of this paper.

Although this application is being abandoned, Applicants do not intend to abandon the inventions currently defined by the claims pending in this application. This abandonment is solely an economic decision based on the expenses associated with an appeal of the Examiner's final rejection.

On June 18, 2008, Applicants filed a divisional application seeking coverage for claims that were restricted out of this application.

Applicants expressly reserve their rights to file a further continuation application seeking claims the same as or similar to those currently pending in this application.

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